

“Chats with Pat, John, Jan, and Donlynn”
and
Alternate Assessment Training

The “Chats in December and January will be electronically broadcast to ESUs across the state in lieu of face-to-face visits as have been conducted in the past. The agenda will include a discussion of standards revision, the details of the NeSA testing including accommodations, business rules, and training options. The “chat” sessions will be held from 9:00-12:00 noon, and will be broadcast from the NDE (CST). **Please note: There is not visitor room in the facility where the broadcast will occur, so participants are asked to go to one of the broadcast locations.**

From 1:30-3:30 Carla Osberg and Jan Hoegh will electronically provide training on the NeSA-AAR (alternate assessment of reading). Both morning and afternoon handouts will be posted on the assessment website: www.nde.state.ne.us/assessment

Schedule:

Tuesday, December 8, 2009	ESU 4 - Auburn ESU 5 - Beatrice ESU 6 - Milford
Tuesday, December 15, 2009	ESU 9 - Hastings ESU 10 - Kearney ESU 11 - Holdrege
Wednesday, December 16, 2009	ESU 17 - Ainsworth
Wednesday, January 6, 2010	ESU 1 - Wakefield ESU 7 - Columbus ESU 8 - Neligh
Thursday, January 7, 2010	ESU 3 - Omaha ESU 2 - Fremont
Wednesday, January 20, 2010	ESU 13 (HATC, 2620 College Place, Scottsbluff)
Thursday, January 21, 2010	ESU 16 – North Platte ESU 16 – Ogalalla ESU 15 - Trenton